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SUBJECT: NAMIBIA: STRATEGY FOR SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING

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INITIAL ZAMBIAN GOVERNMENT REACTIONS TO THE CONTACT GROUP
PROPOSAL ON NAMIBIA WERE POSITIVE, INCLUDING INDICATIONS THAT
THE GRZ WOULD ENCOURAGE SWAPO TO THINK TWICE BEFORE REJECTING
IT. WITH THE EXAMPLE OF WHAT RESULTED FROM HESITATION AND
BACK-TRACKING ON THE ANGLO-AMERICAN PLAN FOR RHODESIA STILL
VERY MUCH ON ITS MIND, THE GRZ MAY BE MORE INCLINED THAN IN
THE PAST TO SUPPORT OUR NAMIBIAN INITIATIVE. BALANCING THAT
FACTOR, HOWEVER, IS THE ZAMBIAN TENDENCY TO FOLLOW SWAPO'S
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LEAD ON ALL MATTERS CONCERNING NAMIBIA. NEVERTHELESS, IN THE
ABSENCE OF A NEGATIVE SWAPO RESPONSE TO THE CG PROPOSAL,
ZAMBIA MIGHT AGREE TO SUPPORT A RESOLUTION ALONG THE LINES OF
THE DRAFT CONTAINED PARA 5 REFTEL.
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